



would be beneficial prior to a settlement conference with this Court, then the parties shall conduct such meeting(s) on or before November 16, 2020;

3. The parties shall then submit to the Court, within fourteen (14) days of the last settlement meeting, but not later than December 4, 2020, a further confidential joint status report describing the progress made in settlement discussions and outlining the remaining issues to be resolved;

4. The Court will then convene a telephone conference to discuss with counsel the earliest possible date for a settlement conference to be attended by counsel and party representatives with full authority (either in person or available by telephone as needed) to negotiate on behalf of each party. Counsel and the party may but are not required to have their relevant technical personnel present to participate in this session; and

5. The Court will then set out further specifics as to the settlement conference once the date has been agreed upon.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

BY THE COURT:

/s/ David R. Strawbridge, USMJ  
DAVID R. STRAWBRIDGE  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE